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APPLICANT: Vandermeer, J.)
SERIAL NO. 10/005881) Art Unit: To be assigned
FILED: November 8, 2001) Examiner: To be assigned
FOR: Investment Casting)
Mold and Method of)
Manufacture)

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AMENDMENT PRIOR TO EXAMINATION

Prior to examination, kindly amend this application without prejudice as follows:

In the claims:

Add the following new claim:

--21. A method of manufacture of an investment casting mold comprising,
mixing fiber and refractory filler to form a first dry blend,
mixing fiber and refractory filler to form a second dry blend which may be the same or

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